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C O N F I D E N T I A L KHARTOUM 1426

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR, ET
SUBJECT: BRITISH SOLDIER OF FORTUNE ADVISES EDU

REF: KHARTOUM 1084 (NOTAL)

1. ACCORDING BRITISH AMBASSADOR, COL. BILLY MCLAIN
(NOT RPT NOT COL. DAVID STERLING AS REPORTED REFTEL)
PENETRATED ETHIOPIA SOME 120 KILOMETERS MARCH 27-29
ON METEMMA/GONDAR AXIS UNDER EDU AUSPICES.
HE EVIDENTLY ADVISED HIS HOST ON TACTICS AND RETURNED
OPTIMISTIC THAT MODERATE GOVERNMENT COULD BE INSTALLED
ADDIS.

2. MCLAIN SUBSEQUENTLY VISITED NORTH YEMEN AND CURRENTLY
STAYING WITH UNNAMED PRINCE IN SAUDI ARABIA WITH WHOM
HE DEALT DURING YEMEN CIVIL WAR. BRITISH AMBASSADOR
EXPECTS THAT MCLAIN, ON HIS RETURN LONDON, WILL AUTHOR
ARTICLE ON TRIP BUT HE CLAIMS MCLAIN WILL BE DISCREET.
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